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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Bo Su Chen :
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Attorney Docket: M40-01375 US :

Invention Title: **TRANSMISSIVE APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR OPTICALLY
SENSING RELATIVE TORQUE EMPLOYING MOIRÉ FRINGES**

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND SUBMISSION

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Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action mailed on 5/26/04, Applicant has decided to file an RCE application. The filing includes a submission containing remarks and status of claims. Applicant would like the claims submitted in his "amendment and reply after final," dated May 5, 2004, to be entered prior to examination. A one-month extension of time petition accompanies this correspondence.

The remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.